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Examiner : Ilia I. Ouspenski
Group : 1644
Applicants : Douglas Charles Hanson et al.
Application No. : 10/612,497
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For : HUMAN MONOCLONAL ANTIBODIES TO CTLA-4

New York, New York
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Hon. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated September 3, 2004. With the extension, a response is due on or before November 3, 2004. Thus, this response is timely filed. A check in the amount of \$110.00, in payment of the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1), is enclosed herewith.

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The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due,
or to credit overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of
this Petition is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,



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